

HOUSE RESOLUTION 205

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A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Joe A. Nunn for laudable service to the people of Tennessee.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should salute those public servants who through their extraordinary efforts have distinguished themselves as leaders of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, one such noteworthy person is Joe A. Nunn, a newly appointed Captain of the Tennessee Highway Patrol; and

WHEREAS, Captain Nunn is a native of Gibson County, Tennessee; he attended Polk Clark High School in Milan and received his Bachelor of Arts Degree in History from Lane College in Jackson, Tennessee, in 1971; and

WHEREAS, proudly serving his country, Captain Nunn saw service in the United States Army from May 1966 to May 1969 earning the rank of Sergeant E-5 with the military occupation specialty of Military Policeman; and

WHEREAS, from 1974 until December 2000, Captain Nunn served with the Tennessee Air National Guard in the 164th Airlift Wing (AMC) based in Memphis, where he held the rank of

Master Sergeant and the position of Squad Leader and Training NCO, Security Police Flight; and

WHEREAS, Joe Nunn began his career as a State Trooper with the Tennessee Department of Safety in 1973 and was admirably promoted to Sergeant in 1987; and

WHEREAS, with a sterling record, then-Sergeant Nunn was promoted to Administrative Lieutenant in 1994 and assigned to Safety Education in 1995; and

WHEREAS, always fulfilling his duties with the utmost professionalism and integrity, Joe A. Nunn has been recently, and very appropriately, promoted to the rank of Captain; and

WHEREAS, continually seeking to expand his exemplary expertise, Captain Joe Nunn has also received further training from the United States Marine Corps Leadership Training Program, the School of Police Staff and Command at Northwestern University Traffic Institute, and the United States Air Force Command Noncommissioned Officer Academy; and

WHEREAS, Captain Nunn has also completed coursework from the Law for Executive Leadership Course at LaSalle Extension University and Universal Schools' Legal Investigations and Claims Adjusting Course; and

WHEREAS, Captain Nunn epitomizes the spirit and commitment that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, Joe A. Nunn is most grateful for the love and companionship he shares with his wife, Barbara Maclin Nunn, and his devoted daughter, Jonenne R. Nunn; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly finds it appropriate to pause in its deliberations to acknowledge and applaud Captain Joe A. Nunn for his dedication to the State of Tennessee and its citizens; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby honor and commend Joe A. Nunn for his meritorious service to the State of Tennessee and his recent

promotion to the rank of Captain with the Tennessee Highway Patrol. We extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.